

## Message Text

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ACTION CU-06

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 /017 W  
-----086479 181156Z /15  
R 171229Z FEB 78  
FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9584  
INFO USIA WASHDC

UNCLAS NEW DELHI 2673

STATE FOR CU/NEA, USIA FOR IOP/D

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OEXC  
SUBJECT: VOLSPKR NORMAN NIE

REF: (A) STATE 040064 (B) USIA 2222 (C) NEW DELHI 1864  
(D) 77 NEW DELHI 18259

1. DELIGHTED TRAVEL FUNDING PROBLEM INDICATED REFTEL B  
NOW SEEMS SOLVED. HOWEVER, POST DOES NOT ACCEPT WHAT  
APPEARS HERE TO BE COMMITTING OUR PROGRAM NEEDS TO  
BACKSEAT.

2. USIS INDIA CONSISTS OF FOUR LARGE AND PROGRAMWISE  
VERY ACTIVE BRANCH POSTS. ALL FOUR BRANCHES PLUS  
AMERICAN STUDIES RESEARCH CENTER, HYDERABAD ARE INTERESTED  
IN PROGRAMMING NIE. THIS NOT POSSIBLE WITH LESS TIME  
THAN INDICATED REFTEL C, E.G. 16 DAYS, MARCH 16 TO APRIL 2.

3. WISH POINT OUT THAT NORMAN NIE WAS IDENTIFIED AS  
POTENTIAL VOLSPKR BY THIS POST WITH FULL SUPPORT OF  
AMBASSADOR'S OFFICE WHICH HAS BEEN IN CORRESPONDENCE  
WITH NIE FOR SEVERAL MONTHS. THUS, WE PUZZLED BY  
PARA 4 REFTEL A INDICATING WE MAY HAVE TO ADJUST OUR  
PLANS RATHER THAN OTHERS WHO MAY AS YET NOT EVEN HAVE  
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EXPRESSED INTEREST IN THIS SPEAKER (PARA 5 REFTEL A.)

4. INCIDENTALLY, OUR REVISED POST PROJECTS AND MEDIA  
ACTION MASTER INDEX VOLUME I DOES NOT LIST IS-09 AS  
PROJECT. DID CU MEAN IS-12?  
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